

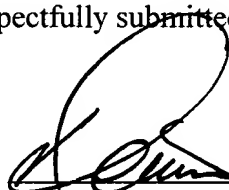
## REMARKS

The above-referenced amendments to the claims are believed to more accurately describe the invention.

Based upon the foregoing, Applicants believe that all pending claims are in condition for allowance and such disposition is respectfully requested. It is believed that no fees are due, however, if additional fees are due, it is requested that the undersigned Applicant be contacted by telephone.

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